

Revised: September 2, 2014

**TENTATIVE AGENDA  
for the  
THIRD MEETING IN 2014  
of the  
WATER AND NATURAL RESOURCES COMMITTEE**

**September 4-5, 2014  
Central Valley Electric Co-Op  
1403 N 13th Street  
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**Thursday, September 4**

- 9:30 a.m.                    **Call to Order and Introductions**  
—Representative George Dodge, Jr., Chair, Water and Natural Resources Committee
- 9:35 a.m.            (1)    **New Mexico First Report on Water Issues**  
—Heather Balas, Executive Director, New Mexico First  
—John D'Antonio, Deputy District Engineer for Project Management, United States Army Corps of Engineers
- 10:30 a.m.            (2)    **Disposition of Produced Water Practices; Produced Water Rules**  
—Lee Livingston, Mack Energy Corporation  
—Kent Adams, BOPCO, L.P.  
—Josh Bruening, Devon Energy  
—David Martin, Secretary, Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department  
—Jeri Sullivan Graham, Chemical Diagnostics and Engineering Group, Los Alamos National Laboratory
- 12:00 noon                    **Lunch**
- 1:15 p.m.            (3)    **Introduction of the Director of the Department of Game and Fish; Elk Population Overview and Issues**  
—Alexa Sandoval, Director, Department of Game and Fish  
—Staff, Department of Game and Fish
- 2:15 p.m.            (4)    **Production Tax Credit Fix**  
—Keven J. Groenewold, Executive Vice President and General Manager, New Mexico Rural Electric Cooperative Association  
—Pat Boone, President, New Mexico Cattle Growers' Association  
—Varinder Singh, EDF Renewable Energy, Inc.  
—Chris Loehr, Director of Finance, Infigen Energy, Inc.

3:15 p.m.        (5)        [\*\*Thermal Energy and Renewable Energy Portfolio Standards\*\*](#)  
—Keven J. Groenewold, Executive Vice President and General Manager,  
New Mexico Rural Electric Cooperative Association  
—Eric Austin, Western Farmers Electric Cooperative  
—Jerry Partin, Roosevelt County Electric Cooperative

4:15 p.m.        **Tour of Central Valley Electric Co-Op Facility**

5:00 p.m.        **Recess**

**Friday, September 5**

9:00 a.m.        (6)        [\*\*Industrial Hemp Production\*\*](#)  
—Gloria Castillo, New Mexico Industrial Hemp Coalition  
—Other Speakers TBA

10:00 a.m.       (7)        [\*\*Liability Issues for Crop Mazes\*\*](#)  
—Anna Lyles, Mesilla Valley Maze

10:45 a.m.       (8)        [\*\*The Meadow Jumping Mouse and Access to Water on Federal  
Grazing Allotments\*\*](#)  
—Gary Stone, Otero County Cattleman's Association  
—Ron Rardin, Otero County Commission  
—Garrett VeneKlasen, New Mexico Wildlife Federation  
—Robert Trujillo, Acting Regional Wildlife Director, U.S. Forest Service  
—Wally Murphy, Field Supervisor, New Mexico Ecological Service  
Field Office, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

12:00 noon       **Adjourn**